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Hon. J. Paul Oetken United States District Judge United States Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

Re: Hines v. Roc-a-Fella Records Inc. et al **DOCKET NO.** 1:19-cv-4587-JPO

Hines v. EMI April Music, Inc., et al **DOCKET NO**. 20-cv-3535-JPO

Dear Hon. Judge Oetken:

My name is Ernie Hines (d/b/a as Colorful Music). I am the Plaintiff in the two cases listed above. My original attorney Christopher Brown has withdrawn from these cases and I was granted 60 days to locate new counsel in Hines v. EMI April Music, Inc. et al 20-cv-3535-JPO on July 1, 2020 and 60 days to locate counsel in Hines v. Roc-a-Fella Records Inc. et al 1:19-cv-4587-JPO on July 15, 2020. With the help of my personal attorney, I have discussed possible representation with several law firms that practice in New York but have not been successful in obtaining new counsel to date. As I prefer not to represent myself, I am requesting that the court grant 30 additional days to locate new counsel in the matters listed above.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Ernie Hines

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